

Tel Aviv Music  
Hall Planned To  
Honor Toscanini

**Special**  
CINCINNATI, Ohio—The magic baton of Arturo Toscanini, famed Italian conductor, will one day direct the Palestine Orchestra in a new Tel Aviv music hall built in his honor if plans of a new national committee being organized here materialize.

Under the co-chairmanship of Mrs. J. Walter Freiberg and Mrs. Simon Kuhn, of this city, the committee will seek funds from the nation's music lovers to build the hall on a site already contributed by Tel Aviv residents. The sponsors hope to have Toscanini lay the cornerstone in November, when he will be in Tel Aviv to conduct a series of concerts.

## Toscanini Nears Palestine.

**Jewish Telegraphic Agency**  
JERUSALEM—Arturo Toscanini is expected to arrive here soon to conduct the opening concert of the Palestine Symphony Orchestra, composed largely of musicians in exile from Germany.

The world-famed Italian conductor will also lead the orchestra in series including appearances in Tel Aviv Nov. 13, Jerusalem Nov. 15 and Haifa Nov. 17. The program includes Rossini's Overture "Italian in Algiers"; Haydn's Symphony in D (Clock Symphony) and Schubert's "Symphony in C Major."

Toscanini's visit here will be followed by a trip to the United States where he will conduct a National Broadcasting Company orchestra. The world-famed conductor led the opening performance of the Palestine orchestra last December as an expression, he said, of his protest against events in Nazi Germany.

A number of other foreign conductors will lend their cooperation, according to an announcement by the orchestra management, including Sir Malcolm Sargent, of London, Issay Dobrowen and Hans S. Steinberg, and negotiations are in progress with others. It is also planned to form a chamber music orchestra under the baton of Michael Taube.

Bronislaw Huberman, the founder of the orchestra, was to have appeared as violin soloist to play Mendelssohn's "Violin Concerto" and Beethoven's "Violin Concerto." He was injured in an airplane crash in Sumatra, however, and forced to abandon his visit to Palestine.

First Hebrew Talkie  
Planned In Palestine

**Jewish Telegraphic Agency**  
TEL AVIV—The first Hebrew talking picture is going into production here. It is being made by the Aga Film Company. Baruch Gadati, head of the company, said he had obtained a special apparatus for synchronizing Hebrew dialogue with American and European films, well.

A representative of the Columbia Picture Corporation, Nicholas P. Barry, visiting Palestine, said he could suggest that his company make a film here. Local climatic conditions are excellent, he said, pressing the belief that a picture made here with American technique would be a great success.

King Carol's Birthday Marked  
By Services In All Synagogues

**Jewish Telegraphic Agency**  
BUCHAREST — Synagogue services throughout Rumania were held in honor of King Carol's forty-fourth birthday. Chief Rabbi Jacob Niemirower, speaking at the Grand Temple, emphasized the loyalty of the Jewish population to the throne. The Union of Rumanian Jews sent Carol a telegram of greeting.

Mosley's Paper  
Ordered To Pay

**Jewish Telegraphic Agency**  
LONDON—Sir Oswald Mosley's Fascist organ, Action, was found guilty last week of having libelled Lord Camrose and the Daily Telegraph and ordered to pay damages of 12,500 pounds (about 62,500) to the publisher and 7,500 pounds (about \$37,500) to his paper.

The action was based on an article published in the Fascist paper which asserted Lord Camrose was of Jewish origin, had intimate contacts with international Jewish interests and the article implied the Jewish international financiers had no sense of loyalty to the crown.

Summing up before the jury and Justice Hilbury, Lord Camrose's counsel, Roland Oliver, referred to the fact that Action, Ltd., publisher of the paper, was virtually judgment-proof. He accused the British Union of Fascists, of which Mosley is the leader, of publishing its literature in the name of a worthless company to enable it to laugh at jury verdicts.

"In this free country," Oliver declared, "it is nothing derogatory to be a Jew or to call a man a Jew who was in fact a Christian. To suggest, however, that all Jewish financiers are unscrupulous and unpatriotic and then to call a man a Jew is to libel him."

On examination by counsel for the Fascist newspaper, Lord Camrose denied that the Telegraph had conducted a campaign against Mosley.

"There is no other leader of a political party who insults Jews and other statesmen, Lord Camrose said of the Fascist leader. "A number of his speeches are not fit to be reported by the Telegraph or any other national newspaper."

Holy Land Goes Air-Minded;  
New Airport Nears Completion

**BULLETIN**  
JERUSALEM — Arab terrorists were thought responsible for a fire which caused \$35,000 damage to the nearly-completed Lydda airport. Police arrested 48 Arabs in connection with the blaze.

**Jewish Telegraphic Agency**  
JERUSALEM — Palestine Airways, the Holy Land's infant flying service, is planning to extend its routes, and the new Lydda airport is nearing completion.

The blue-silver planes are now familiar sights on the Haifa-Tel Aviv run. According to A. Idelson, a director of the company, it is planned to introduce a Jerusalem-Haifa service and inaugurate a flying service for tourists between main cities and such places as the Dead Sea and the Sea of Galilee.

PALESTINE DISORDERS GROW;  
GENERAL UPRISING FEAREDIl Duce's Paper  
Says Britain Is  
Sowing Massacre

**Jewish Telegraphic Agency**  
ROME — Premier Mussolini's newspaper, Popolo d'Italia, accused Great Britain this week of "sowing massacre and destruction in the Holy Land."

Climaxing Italian press criticism against British policy in Palestine, the newspaper, which frequently mirrors the views of the Italian dictator, said that the news of the dynamiting of houses in Lydda "must arouse the sense of horror of the civilized world."

While demonstrations in sympathy with the Palestine Arabs were held by Moslems throughout Italian territory, the Rome press continued to emphasize Italy's friendship for Islam, which has been frequently avowed by Premier Mussolini.

(The London Daily Herald reports from Jerusalem that Grand Mufti Haj Amin el Hussein, now under armed guard in a Lebanese mountain village following his escape from Palestine, planned to visit Italy, presumably to seek Premier Mussolini's support for his plans to harass British rule in Palestine.)

The newspaper Il Messaggero charged that the town of Lydda had been subjected to "ruthless reprisals" following the damaging of the airport there by terrorists.

"The ruthless reprisals of the Mandatory Government should provoke reflection among so-called humanitarians in Britain," the newspaper said, adding that the "humanitarians" probably would remain silent because the reprisals were carried out by Britain.

## French Press Raps Syria

**Jewish Telegraphic Agency**  
PARIS—Paris newspapers expressed dissatisfaction this week with the harboring in French-mandated Syria of Grand Mufti Haj Amin el Hussein, who has escaped from Palestine. The Palestine situation was widely commented upon in the French press.

60 Per Cent Of Those  
Leaving Poland Are Jews

**Special**  
PARIS—Jews made up 60 per cent of the emigration from Poland in 1936, according to the Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Aid Society, whose Polish affiliate handled 161,000 calls on emigration problems during the year.

Syria Wars On  
Gun Smuggling

**Jewish Telegraphic Agency**  
BEIRUT—The Syrian Government has taken strong action against arms smuggling and illicit migration across the border into Palestine, Premier Jamil Bey Mardam announced last week.

The action was taken, the Premier said in an official statement, in cooperation with Great Britain and France. His statement condemned violence.

The Syrian Government made the announcement after the French High Commissioner, Count Damien de Martel, has requested it to forbid subversive activities directed at the Palestine Government. Jamal Hussein and other Palestine Arab leaders had fled to Damascus from a Jewish drive on Arab agitators and terrorists.

Hoosier Gives  
Tithe To Jews

**Special**  
CINCINNATI—A Hoosier's vow to fulfill an ancient Biblical law has made the National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods the recipient of a sizeable contribution each year for the last three-years, it was revealed last week by Miss Jane Evans, executive director of the Federation.

The vow was taken by an unknown pious soul who describes himself as "a member of no church, creed or denomination" and who lives somewhere in Indiana. Writing that he has vowed "to give the tithe," he adds that "the question of where and how to give" led him to the "originators of that ancient and noble custom."

The Bible in many places refers to the law of giving a tenth part of one's possessions to the priesthood and the Temple. In Leviticus, chapter 27, it is stated: "And all the tithe of the land, whether of the seed of the land, or of the fruit of the tree, is the Lord's; it is holy unto the Lord."

Each year the contribution of the unknown donor comes with a neatly printed note:

This humble offering is a most willing tithe.

Movie Selling Will  
Be Studied By Women

**Special**  
NEW YORK—"Block booking" and "blind selling" of motion pictures will be made the subject of a "special study" of the legislative committee of the National Council of Jewish Women at the organization's fifteenth Triennial Convention in Pittsburgh, Jan. 23-28.

The practices have long been the object of opposition by the Catholic Legion of Decency.

Terrorists Burn  
Airport, Bomb  
Police Station

**Jewish Telegraphic Agency**  
JERUSALEM—Official circles this week admitted fears of a general Arab uprising as disorders which began last Thursday assumed a widespread character resembling the 1936 revolt and the deposed Grand Mufti, Haj Amin el Hussein, fled his sanctuary in the Mosque of Omar leaving behind him an inflammatory manifesto.

The manifesto, which has already achieved wide circulation throughout Palestine, calls on Arabs not to despair and urges them to continue the fight against the Jews and the British Government. Final liberation, it promises, is coming despite "Jewish influence over Great Britain."

**Boy, 11, Is Murdered**  
Coincident with the Moslem leader's flight, reportedly to Syria, the following incidents occurred over the week-end:

A Jewish boy of 11, named Sharabi, was murdered in his sleep by five Arabs who fired in his bedroom in the Lemenite <sup>Neve Ziona</sup>.

An Arab notable, Kemal Alami, a relative of the Government advocate who recently resigned his post, was shot dead in the Christian quarter of the Old City.

Fire partially destroyed the strategic Lydda airport, which had not yet been entirely completed, causing damage estimated at \$35,000. The immigration offices at the airport, a police station, a hotel and offices of the Dutch K.L.M. and Polish LOT airlines containing official documents and crews' passports were gutted. Wireless apparatus and the telephone exchange were also destroyed. Forty-eight Arab notables of Lydda were arrested in connection with this fire.

The dead body of Oscar Strauss, 35-year-old German Jew, was found on the shore of Kessaria, but whether he was murdered or had committed suicide was not immediately established.

**Bus Is Target**  
An Arab wood products factory near the Government offices in Jerusalem was set afire.

An automobile carrying Jewish passengers was fired on and overturned, seriously wounding two of the occupants and slightly injuring two others. An Egged bus which came to take the wounded to a hospital was fired upon.

Samuel Gutman, a Hungarian Jew was stabbed and seriously wounded while walking in the Kerem Abraham quarter of Jerusalem.

Gangs of armed Arabs, numbering 200, tried to slip across the Syrian border into Palestine but were stopped by the frontier force. They later entered Palestine individually, it was learned.

Other incidents included bombing of the central police station, and the Anglo-Palestine Bank branch in Jaffa, dynamiting of a bridge on the Jerusalem-Tel Aviv road, sniping on Jewish colonies and the towns of Kalandia, Ataroth, Neve Yacob and Mt. Canaan.

**Martial Law Considered**  
Major-General Archibald P. Wavell (Continued on Last Page)



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## HEBREW CALENDAR 5697-1937

Fast of 10th of Teveth....Dec. 14  
Fast of Esther.....March 16  
Purim.....March 17  
Pesah (Passover)....April 16-23  
Shevuoth.....June 5-6  
Fast of 17th of Tamuz....July 17  
Fast of 9th of Ab.....August 7

### The Editor's Chair:

I am not particularly a coward so I have comparatively little fear of an encounter with any man. I have had my share of fist fights, and probably a little more than my share of verbal fights. In some, of both kinds, I have been victor, and in just as many, loser.

But never in any kind of a fight have I ever been winner when my opponent was a woman.

I would just as soon go up against a combination of any army tank, a hungry lion, and an exploding shell, as face a determined woman. In fact, I would sooner and safer face the first three.

And all that is written above is just a prologue. Here is the story.

At a certain university in a certain state there is a certain local Jewish sorority which is seeking a charter from a certain national Jewish sorority. It is common knowledge. In the course of its news covering routine, one of the papers published by The Spokesman Company printed a picture of all the pledges to the local Jewish sorority, and wrote that "campus Officials felt", that, "while no announcement has been made, it is believed" that the local sorority would affiliate with a certain national group.

And that, my friends, has made me the lowest, the most despicable, the most malicious of beings, a vulture, a wolf in sheep's clothing, a no good so and so, and what do they call men who steal candy from children. And how did I find out in that great esteem I was held for printing the item? Well, the president of the sorority called me by long distance and told me so. To make it more emphatic, she put down what she thought of me on paper the next day, that is, as much as she could without causing the paper to begin smoking and bursting into flame.

Now the funny part about it all is that a good friend of mine is a member of the national sorority, and another girl, who is one of the national officers, has just finished some work for me, so that had I been asked I probably could have helped. And to tell the truth I thought I was helping. "Well, just don't think next time", I can just hear the darling girls saying.

Well, I won't. From here on I'm a woman-hater. Or should I say I'm a man whom women hate.

## Germany, The New Jewish Haven

IT seems, according to Das Schwartz Korps, organ of Hitler's own select troops, that the Jews are returning to power in Germany.

This newest information gives rise to hopes of persecuted Jews in Poland and Rumania for a new haven, one where they may live in freedom and follow the dictates of their religion without molestation. Their children too, may be reared without fear of the ghastly stigma of the hissed word, "Jew".

And so it has come to pass that the commission which recently investigated the possibilities in the Island of Madagascar, and the New York

firm which has settled on Costa Rica as the Utopia for Jews of Europe, and even Representative Sirovitch with his Cuban plan, are making preparations for survey trips to Germany.

According to present reports, a large tract of land near Munich is being considered for the rest Jewish colony. The mess hall, construction on which has already begun, is being built after a replica of the Munich Beer Hall in which the Nazi Party was born.

It is hard to believe, but nevertheless it must be true, Germany once more is the land of hope for the stricken Jews of the world.

## The Jewish World News And The Jewish Football News

SO many Jewish grid stars stud the football machines of leading American colleges that hardly a contest passes but a Jewish name makes the headlines as heroes of Saturday afternoon contests.

Sunday morning newspapers last week were so prominent with Jewish names that sports writers are beginning to wonder, Jews are beginning to feel proud and Nazis are denouncing football as a Jewish monopoly. Hero of the Syracuse victory over the heralded Cornell was Marty Glickman and star of the Columbia triumph over Pennsylvania was Sid Luckman. Marshall Goldberg's failure to score against Ford-

ham caused Pittsburgh to fall into a tie, but Goldberg was responsible the previous week for the Panthers' lone touchdown against Duquense. The South's leading eleven, Alabama is piloted by a Jewish captain, Leroy Monsky.

And so it is in every section of the nation. East, West, North and South. Wherever football is being played, there a Jewish name in the lineup denotes a sterling performer, a star, a potential hero.

If news from the Jewish world is of a particularly dark nature this week, such a statement cannot be justifiably said of the Jewish news from the football world.

## Comments On Current Topics

From an article, "Concerning The Rabbi's Salary" in "The Synagogue" by Dr. Julian Morgans, president of Hebrew Union College.—In the years preceding 1930 the belief was fairly general that the Hebrew Union College would not permit its graduates to accept pulpits at salaries less than a certain prescribed amount. There was not a scintilla of truth in the rumor, but nevertheless it persisted stubbornly. Actually the College has never once sought to fix in any way the salary which its graduates receive from congregations. It has always felt that that is entirely a matter between congregation and rabbi alone. Even when requested, as quite naturally it has often been, to suggest a proper salary in this or that instance, it has always hesitated, and in the end complied with the request only reluctantly and with considerable reserve. Since 1930 the rumor seems to have died out completely, but the requests for suggestions with regard to the salary to be offered a rabbi, about to be engaged by a congregation, have become more frequent. All this for easily comprehensible rea-

Today conditions are improving, even though it be very slowly. The average salary of the rabbi today upon graduating and entering upon his first position is approximately \$2100-\$2400. Naturally salaries are rising steadily as the cost of living mounts. For it is, or at least should be, obvious that the basic consideration in determining the minimum salary which should be offered to a rabbi should be only the cost of living of the rabbi, as a married man, in the community the congregation of which calls him, and upon the plane of living which the congregation would wish its rabbi to live, so that he may participate with dignity and responsibility in every worthy, interdenominational, communal movement and thus represent the congregation properly and creditably in the general community.

The California Jewish Voices on The Jewish Hall of Fame.—It seems that it is "very difficult" to attain recognition by actual labor and accomplishment. So many individuals and organizations are seeking that recognition through publicity.

That is the impression one gets when he reads the list of one hundred twenty names in the Jewish "Hall of Fame", proclaimed by Ivrim, "Honor Society of Jewish Students in Chicago".

Usually a Hall of Fame is inaugurated by the nation as a whole, and not by individual groups, no matter who or what they are. One may freely and sincerely ask, "what right has a group, even one bearing the name of Ivrim, to make such a selection?"

Abnormality in Jewish life is nothing new, but we thought that the intellectual groups, as the Ivrim claim themselves to be, should assist in the endeavor which is now penetrating World Jewry—normalization.

It is true that nobody takes the "generous"

effort of the Ivrim seriously, but it cannot be completely ignored, for it is an attitude known in Hebrew as "Hefer" —the mildest and kindest translation of which is "irresponsibility and carelessness".

From a Speech By the Late Louis Marshall.—I never undergo a great emotion when I hear that some Jew is worth five, ten, or twenty, or even a hundred millions. I do, however, feel an overwhelming emotion when I hear of a Jew who lives the Jewish life, who has the Jewish spirit, who brings up his children as Jews, even if he does not possess a five cent piece.

Rabbi Louis I. Newman, of New York, in his column, "Telling It In Gath"—"Rabbi, I am going to Canada in order to meet the immigration requirements," said a young German emigre girl to the Rabbi over the telephone. "Pray for me, that I may come back safely!" "Rabbi, I am going to the hospital tomorrow for an operation," said a young professional man to the Rabbi. "Pray for me, that I may emerge safely! that the tumor may prove to be benign and that I may live." And the Rabbi recited for him the Priestly Blessing, and said: "May the Lord be with you!" "Rabbi, my husband lies mortally ill; will you offer prayer for him before the open Ark?" And the rabbi with the cantor stand before the open portals of the Ark of the Covenant, though they know word will soon be brought to them of the patient's demise.

"Rabbi, we are going on a long journey across the seas. Give us your blessing," says two elderly ladies to the young rabbi. And he raises his hands and gives them his benediction.

"Rabbi, here is a little Scroll of the Law which I have been given as a gift. Will you recite a prayer over it?" And the rabbi recites an appropriation prayer to the "Giver of the Law," "Nothen ha-Torah," and voices the hope that this token will inspire fealty to the Law in the heart of its owner.

Again and again the rabbi is besought to offer prayer for the stricken, knowing that they will never recover. These instances of the quest for a blessing under varying auspices indicate that the mood of mysticism has not entirely departed from contemporary Jews. It may be argued that fear or fetishism may have played a role in one or two of these cases, but, on the whole, the impulse was one of reverence. The surcharged or grateful heart wishes to express itself through the medium of thanksgiving and petition. Will these prayers be answered? I am reminded of the words of a friendly Catholic prelate who declared that he had instructed his priests to pray for rain "until it rained." There is a tale also of the negro who when asked whether he believed God answered prayer, replied: "Yes, he answers prayers, one way or another." The chief thing, however, is that prayers are offered.

## Freedom of the Press

Author Of "Tragedy Of The Ages" Is Jewish

To The Editor:

I have just read with a great deal of satisfaction the nice thing said about my book "Tragedy of the Ages" by Rabbi David Jacobson.

The reviewer, I am afraid, was misled by the fact that the book bearing the imprint of a Christian publishing house, was written by Christian. Alas, no. By whatever magic formula the Nazis transformed the Pope into a Jew I assure they would not use the same formula to make a Jew into a Christian—and I am a Jew.

Max Hunterberg.

New York.

## Books

By DR. DAVID JACOBSON

The Mother, by Sholem Asch; authorized translation by Elsie Krauch. G. P. Putnam's Sons. 295 pages. \$2.50.

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How significant it is that Eve, the universal mother, is a Hebrew conception. Eve is portrayed as the primal mother of all flesh—yet Eve is found in the Jewish Torah. Sholem Asch's "mother" has something of this same character—she is pictured in a typically Jewish setting—and yet she is so much more than "The" mother, that this book is destined to live as a classic for all peoples. "The Mother"—this simple phrase is so weighted with the associations that each of us makes, it is so coloured with emotions, that to add the adjective "Jewish", or to describe any particular mother would reduce its power. Yet Sholem Asch, Dr. D. created a very definite individual, Sarah Rifke, with all the characteristics that mark a Polish immigrant grant to New York; but still Sarah Rifke is "The" mother, a typical example.

Sholem Asch is our greatest Jewish writer; he creates his characters so that they live and breathe. He never writes just a story in his books; he interweaves into each composition the manifold plots and incidents and atmospheres that make up a life. And in "The Mother" he does so marvellously well.

First, he makes us see the world as it looks to Sarah Rifke. We share with her the wonder of having a husband. We know with her how many varieties there can be of the typical Jewish housewife. We understand the pathological of unremitting work which does not always bring its rewards. We realize how important food is when food is scarce. We learn what trials children can be. We experience what death is like when it comes to a Jewish mother.

Then Sholem Asch gives us historical portrait of the East European immigrant as he came America a generation ago; this is the best portrait that has been done.

Finally, above and beneath the things, Sholem Asch has drawn the form of the Universal Mother, typical as Eve, as eternal as the Jewish Mother.

## HONORED AFTER 50 YEARS

BOSTON—Several hundred persons of all faiths attended a quiet here last week to pay tribute to Dr. Kallman Meyer Davidsohn, Jewish physician, as he completed fifty years of medical service.

## PORTLAND BUILDS CENTER

PORTLAND, Ore.—Work will begin soon on a new B'nai B'rith Center here.



# ZIONISTS PLAN BROADCAST, STATE J. N. F. MEET

## Weiss On WFBM Sunday; Parley To Hear English M.P.

A radio broadcast on Oct. 31, commemorating Balfour Day, a state-wide Jewish National Fund conference on Nov. 28 and the creation of a Jewish National Fund council were decided upon by the Indianapolis Zionist District at its board meeting Wednesday evening at the home of Senator Jacob Weiss.

The radio program will be broadcast at 12:00 noon Oct. 31 from WFBM. Senator Jacob Weiss will speak on "Balfour Day and Partition". Vocal selections will be rendered by Cantor Myro Glass.

The Honorable Morgan Jones, M. P., London, England, who is on a visit to this country, will address the Conference in November.

## Club Leaders To Hold First Meeting Thursday

The Community Club Leaders' Council of the Jewish Community Center Association will present a symposium on "Jewish Youth Activities of Our Community" at the next meeting of the group at 6:15 p.m., Thursday, Oct. 28, at the Jewish Shrine Restaurant. The participants will be Rabbi Charry, Meyer Book, Ballin, and Allan Bloom. Douglas Brown, President, will be the chairman.

Committees have been appointed as follows:

Program: Mrs. Sam Kroot, chairman; Rabbi Charry, Theodore R. Mann, Lester Engel, Mrs. Louis Link, Miriam Forman, Meyer Galsch, Dr. David Jacobson, Julian Divid, Dorothy Krish, Irving Rubenstein, Ruth Skom and Harry Trautman.

Membership: Clara Silverman, chairman; Mrs. Frank Barnett, Joseph Jackson, Jr., Fanette Katz, Naomi Lichtenberg, Alfred Paul and Frances Schneiderman.

Music: Cecilia Klein, chairman; Pearl Becker, Lena Lee Cohen, Aliman Cohen, Sophie Gerson and Esther Katz.

Constitution: Mrs. Phillip Falen, chairman; Sylvia Eckman, Ivan Harrison, Tevie Jacobs, Florence Slutzky and Zeena Valinetz.

### ANTI-NAZIS ORGANIZE

Conference of Jews, Christians ST. LOUIS, Mo.—Organization with help of the St. Louis Council for American Democracy, formed to stage a counter-demonstration to the pathological convention of the pro-Nazi Amerika-Deutscher Volksbund, scheduled to be held here Nov. 20 and 21, was announced at a meeting at the Pilgrim Congregational Church.

## CARD PARTY ARRANGED

The Advisory Council of the Communal Building has arranged a card party at 8:15 p.m., Monday, October 25. Mrs. Sam Levin and Mrs. Morris Burnstein are in charge of the arrangements.

## The Inquiring Reporter

Question: Do you think Sunday Schools should be expanded to include an extra session during the week?

Answers:

Rabbi Elias Charry:

The Sunday Schools should be expanded to include several courses, a combination of Hebrew School and Sunday School, ultimately. At Beth El most of the children attend both the Sunday School and the Hebrew School. A child cannot acquire sufficient Jewish background one day a week.

Mrs. Philip Kraft:

Children who go to Hebrew School wouldn't have time for an extra Sunday School session. Every child should attend at least one of these schools or both, if possible.

Leah Schneider, pupil at Beth El Sunday School:

I don't think we should have an extra session. If you take your work seriously you can learn a great deal on Sunday.

Phyllis Levey, pupil at Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation Religion School:

No, not unless the public schools would allow us extra time to attend during the week. Most of us take music lessons and with our school work we wouldn't have time for an extra session.

## TOMBSTONE DEDICATION

A tombstone in memory of David H. Cohen, will be dedicated by his wife and children at 2:30 p.m., Sunday at the Shara Tefilla Cemetery. Rabbi Elias Charry and Cantor Myro Glass will officiate. Relatives and friends are asked to attend.

## LETTERS

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## Marcus Borinstein Assumes Duties As Trava Tours Officer

Association of Marcus E. Borinstein, son of Louis Borinstein, with Trava Tours, Inc., was announced this week with reorganization of the firm and removal of its offices to the first floor of the Circle Tower Building, 7 East Market Street. Mr. Borinstein will be secretary-treasurer and office manager.

In its new offices, Trava Tours will be staffed by a personnel thoroughly experienced in all lines of travel. Charles G. Black, president, has been for 21 years associated with the passenger department of a large railroad; Hollie D. Hagan, vice-president, also is a former railroadman and has had long experience in arranging escorted tours. Harold C. Lefforge of the steamship department has had railroad experience and comes here from New York, where he was associated with one of the large steamship companies; James J. Wulle of the aviation department has had thorough training in this work and Lawrence W. Drapier of the sales department is an experienced Trava Tours salesman on tours and cruises.

The service of the company will include railroad, steamship, air line and bus tickets, independent tours and cruises, all expense tours and cruises, escorted tours and cruises, vacation savings club, traveler's checks, travelers' insurance, baggage accommodations, research library, delivery service and hotel reservations. Among the hotels for which Trava Tours will be exclusive agents in Indiana will be the Miami Biltmore, Miami Beach, Fla.; Roney Plaza, Miami, Fla., and the British Colonial in Nassau.

## PICK CLUB PRESIDENT

The Achad Ha'am club elected Edgar Siegel president for the new year. Others named were Paul Zick, vice-president; Sam Chernin, treasurer; Morris Bryan, secretary and Max Stein, publicity agent.

## Clarence Efroymson Named Federation And Welfare Fund Head

Dr. Clarence W. Efroymson and elected president, and Avraham Hyman, secretary-treasurer, an East Central States Regional Executive National Council of Jewish Federation and Welfare Funds, Catholic conference in Pittsburghly and Sunday, Oct. 16 and 17.

Messrs. Samuel Muel, National Executive Committee. The officers elected were Dr. E. J. Gordon of Columbus, first vice-chairman; Max Hirsch of Cincinnati, second vice-chairman; Simon Schetzer of Detroit, chairman of program committee; and Isidore Sobeloff of Detroit, secretary of the program committee.

## Fifty Register At Beth El College Of Studies

Over fifty registrations for the College of Jewish Studies sponsored by the Beth El Zedeck Temple were received at its opening Monday night. Registrations may still be made. The fee is \$1.00. The course in Reading in Medieval Jewish Literature will be presented Monday from 9 to 10 p.m., following the course in Hebrew which will be taught from 8 to 9 p.m. Rabbi Charry will conduct the Readings course.

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Phil Kraft, Pres.

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Mrs. Philip Grenwald is forward to seeing their anniversary on the occasion of October 17, 1912-fifth wedding anniversary at Louisville will entertain with a reception dance from 8:30 to 10:30 p.m. on Wednesday evening, October 31 at G. M. Coholn Hotel. There are changes in the program. \* \* \* \* \*

Mrs. Oscar Alpert is convalescing at her home after an illness in the Methodist Hospital. \* \* \* \* \*

Miss Helen Alpert and Mrs. Joe Rosenthal and children have left for permanent residence in California. \* \* \* \* \*

Mrs. Rae Berman, San Antonio, Texas, is visiting her daughters, Mrs. Ferd Kahn and Mrs. Milton Sternberger. \* \* \* \* \*

The Reading Club will meet for luncheon Friday at the home of Mrs. Ferd Kahn. Mrs. Damarchus Brown will be the speaker. \* \* \* \* \*

**Kitchen Shower For Bride-Elect**  
Miss Rose Dorman entertained with a kitchen shower Sunday afternoon, October 17 at the Spink Arms Hotel honoring Miss Mollye Levinsky whose marriage to Ben Mansfield will take place Nov. 7. \* \* \* \* \*

**Entertain Husbands**  
The sixteen members of the Duplicate Bridge Club will entertain their husbands at dinner Wednesday evening at the Broadmoor Country Club. Mrs. David Lurvey is president. \* \* \* \* \*

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Silver and sons, Irving and Louis, spent Sunday in Champaign, Ill., visiting with David Silver, a student at the University of Illinois. \* \* \* \* \*

Mrs. Harold Linsky, who was the guest of her sister, Mrs. David Sablosky, has returned to her home in St. Louis. \* \* \* \* \*

Mr. and Mrs. Melville S. Modjeska, Riverside, Ill., and Miss Clara Goldberger, Chicago, were the week-end guests of Mrs. Mildred Levey and Dr. and Mrs. I. J. Kwitney. \* \* \* \* \*

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Oct. 24—9 p.m. Harvest Moon Festival—Elmer Holt's Barn
- 26—7 to 9 p.m. Course in Hebrew, Zionism—Kirshbaum
- 27—8 p.m. Beta Nu Card Party—Electric Bldg.
- 30—9 p.m. Harvest Moon Jamboree—Beth El Temple
- Nov. 3—6:30 p.m. Kirshbaum Membership Campaign Dinner—Kirshbaum
- 8—8 p.m. Annual Meeting Jewish Welfare Fund—Kirshbaum
- 10—8 p.m. Junior Council Bingo—K. of C. Hall

**Broadmoor Arranges Ball**  
A Farmers' Ball has been scheduled by the Broadmoor Country Club for 9 p.m., Saturday, October 30. Mrs. Victor Goldberg is chairman of entertainment. \* \* \* \* \*

**Hallowe'en Party Planned**  
The Debetts will entertain October 29 with a Hallowe'en party at the home of Miss Barbara Sternfels. Miss Selma Sachs is president. \* \* \* \* \*

Mr. and Mrs. Harold J. Cohen of Washington, D. C., will arrive Saturday evening to spend ten days with Mr. Cohen's mother, Mrs. Lottie Cohen, and family. \* \* \* \* \*

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Cohen and son, Lucian of Cincinnati, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rosenberg and son, Harley, of Paris, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rind of Cincinnati will spend Sunday in Indianapolis as the guests of Mrs. Lottie Cohen. \* \* \* \* \*

Mrs. Charles Poppe and daughter, Janice Phyllis, of St. Louis, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. Poppe and Mrs. Celia Mosias for two weeks. Charles Poppe, who spent the week-end here, has returned to St. Louis. \* \* \* \* \*

Miss Jean Goldsmith spent the week-end in Chicago. \* \* \* \* \*

Mrs. Charles Goldstein of Hammond is the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Goldstein. \* \* \* \* \*

Dr. Harry Dover, Ottawa, Ontario, will be the guest Sunday of Mrs. Lottie Cohen. \* \* \* \* \*

Mesdames Isaac Born, Louis Markun, H. B. Jacobs, I. E. Solomon and Arthur Fairbanks have returned from South Bend where they attended the state meeting of the Federation of Temple Sisterhoods. Mrs. Born is honorary president. Mrs. Markun is first vice-president and Mrs. Jacobs is director. \* \* \* \* \*

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Bornstein have moved into their new home at 2243 N. Pennsylvania. \* \* \* \* \*

Mrs. Bernard Lob and Miss Mildred Lob have returned home after spending two weeks in New York City. They were accompanied by Mrs. Lob's brother, Herman Schoen, Windsor, Ontario. While in New York they attended the wedding of Mrs. Lob's niece, Miss Mildred Rosenfeld. \* \* \* \* \*

Miss Ann Baker spent the week-end in Chicago. \* \* \* \* \*

Mr. and Mrs. Max Berkowitz have moved into their new home at 2920 Park Ave. \* \* \* \* \*

Mrs. Henry Silver and daughter, Linda, have returned from a week's visit in Evansville. \* \* \* \* \*

Mrs. Andrew Jackson and daughter, Miss Dorothy Jackson, spent the week-end in Dayton. \* \* \* \* \*

Joseph Strasburger, Jr., Galesburg, Ill., has taken up permanent residence in Indianapolis. Mr. Strasburger is associated with the law firm of Evans & Hebel. \* \* \* \* \*

Mrs. Lou Fink and Miss Fannette Katz have returned from Pittsburgh where they attended the Tenth Annual Conference of the National Council of Jewish Juniors. Miss Katz was elected to the board of directors. \* \* \* \* \*

**Temple Religious School**  
P.-T. A. Tea Tuesday  
The P.-T. A. of the Religious School of the Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation will entertain with tea at 3 p.m., Tuesday at the Temple, honoring the parents. Victor Goldberg is president of the group. \* \* \* \* \*

Mrs. Abe Kaplan who was visiting her sister, Mrs. Hal Meyer, has returned to her home in Wayne. \* \* \* \* \*

Miss Jeanette Solotken is convalescing in the Methodist Hospital following an emergency operation. \* \* \* \* \*

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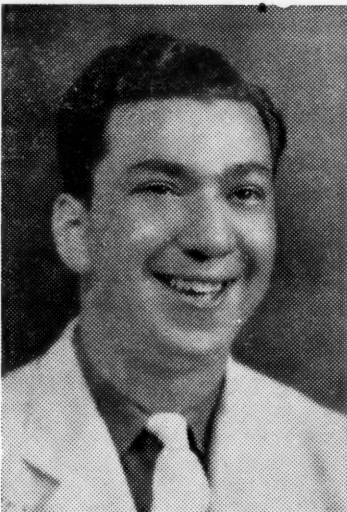
Religious Hebr... still single and doesn't... smoke, which may ac... for his state of unmarried... And his ambition... is to be a writer, ... may also account for his... once carried a newspaper... in Irvington.

... far as athletics go well, ... goes very far. In high school ... was alternate captain of bas... ball, a regular on the footba... baseball teams and No. 1 ... on the tennis squad.

... however before you girls be... to crowd the gym classes he ... acts down at Kirshbaum Cen... you may as well know that ... never really had any serious ... thearts, or rather he has ... er had any sweethearts with ... on he has been serious.

... Norman Weissman, late of ... xville, and now physical di... or at Kirshbaum, was born ... October 25, 1908 in Philal... phia, Pa. Between the place ... his birth and Kirshbaum, Mr. ... ssman, has been a resident of ... hville and Knoxville, Tenn., ... once during his high school ... s, of Indianapolis. In fact ... played baseball as a soph... ore for Shortridge, before his ... ents moved to Nashville. It ... s at Central High School in ... Tennessee city that Mr. ... isman, grew famous as an ... lete. In addition he led the ... chestra (he plays clarinet) and ... interested in dramatics.

... After graduation, Norman's ... ily moved to Knoxville, and



NORMAN WEISSMAN

Norman with it. There he was employed for a short while in a jewelry store. About this time, the board of directors of the Jewish Community Center became to realize the utter failure of the organization, and cast their eyes about for a director. So in 1933, Mr. Weissman became, at the ripe old age of 25, executive director of the J. C. C. in Knoxville, a position of great responsibility. By building up the athletic program, adding

dramatics, and a minstrel show, and arranging dances and parties, Mr. Weissman, soon expanded the membership so that when he left to accept the Kirshbaum position this year, every effort, including a raise in salary, was made to urge him to reconsider. Recognition of Mr. Weissman's ability came when Knoxville appointed him to the City Board of Athletics and placed him in charge of twenty-one playgrounds.

Mention must be made of Mr. Weissman's present ambition, and that is to build the Kirshbaum athletic department into a thriving, well-attended adjunct of the Center. Already the morning gym classes for ladies, the afternoon boy's classes, and the business men and girls classes are growing to an unthought of attendance. By devotion to his work, by personal solicitation, and by every other means which his active mind can invent, Norman is seeing to it that people hear about what Kirshbaum has to offer in the way of athletics.

Norman used to spend some of his spare time in climbing the Smoky Mountains, St. Leconte 60 miles from Knoxville being the most famous victim of his ascent into the heavens. Now he has another mountain to climb, and our guess is that he will conquer it, just as he conquered the other barrier. Watch the new activity in the gym department at Kirshbaum and you will see what we mean.

## A History Of The Jews Of Indianapolis

By HARRY DALE

This compilation of the early history of the Jewish congregations of Indianapolis was prepared by the Sunday School class of 1936-37 of the Indianapolis Hebrew congregation. The pupils who obtained this information, under the direction of Douglas Brown, are Betty Lapinska, Herman Steinkeller, Carolyn Eger, Robert Borinstein, Phyllis Cooler, Henry Schildmeier, and Mildred Freeman.

While it is not intended to be a complete history of the congregations, it gives an early outline. It is hoped that the writers will be excused if any important names have been omitted.—The history of the Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation was published previously in a survey of the early Jewish community and will not be included in the present series. The editor is deeply indebted to the students mentioned for their labors.

Knesses Israel

Many years ago during the summer of 1889, in this city, a group of Jewish people, who had come from Lithuania, Russia, and Prussia, met for the purpose of forming a new synagogue. Having different ideas and beliefs of celebrations of Jewish customs they decided to form a new temple. The

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... congregation was formed and called Knesses Israel. Their charter was granted on October 16, of the same year. It was 1892 before they were able to build their first building which was located at Merrill and Eddy Streets. They were to be the third congregation formed by Jewish people in this city. As they continued to grow and get more members, they decided to build a larger temple to take care of the increased membership. (Continued on Page 7)

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## Smilansky Seeks New Conference

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

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The proposal was made after Menachem M. Ussishkin, president of the Jewish National Fund, had protested that the council's delegation to Geneva had, without authority, discussed partition with League of Nations officials. The delegation, including Dr. A. Katznelson, Mordecai Eliash and Rabbi Ben-Zion Uziel, reported to the council on its activities.

MARX HEADS COMMITTEE

By Conference of Jews, Christians

NEW YORK—Dr. Alexander Marx, Librarian of the Jewish Theological Seminary, noted educator, author and Jewish historian, has accepted the chairmanship of the committee organized recently to co-operate with the Library of the Hebrew University in Jerusalem in rounding out its collections.

## Our Newcomers

From Pittsburgh have come Mr. and Mrs. Edward R. Golden and daughter, Barbara Iris, age eleven months. The Golden's live at 915 N. Emerson Ave. Mr. Golden is associated with United Artists Film Exchange.

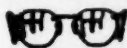
LAUDS INTERFAITH MOVIE

By Conference of Jews, Christians and Muslims

WASHINGTON—Efforts to establish justice, amity and understanding among Protestants, Catholics and Jews were highly commended by Edward J. Heffron, Executive Secretary of the National Council of Catholic Men, during a speech on tolerance delivered at the Washington Jewish Community Center.

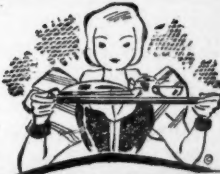
Organizations which strive to "stamp out the ignorance and misunderstanding which breed intolerance" were cited as examples to be followed by Protestants, Catholics and Jews.

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### Hadassah

Wednesday was Hadassah day if we ever saw one..... Over two hundred attended the opening luncheon presided over by Mrs. Lewis Levy..... if you missed Mrs. J. A. Goodman's report of her trip to Palestine you missed a real talk..... In the evening Mrs. Goodman talked to a joint meeting of Juniors and Business and Professional Women of Hadassah..... no one wanted to go home at eleven o'clock and if the Kirshbaum hadn't closed, the group would have insisted that Mrs. Goodman continue speaking..... A lovely luncheon at the Broadmoor Monday when the Temple Sisterhood got under way..... Mrs. Vaughn Cornish spoke on "I Went To The Coronation".....

### Dancing

Hay, hay, hay, are you going to the Harvest Moon Festival at Elmer Holt's barn Sunday night and to the Harvest Moon Jamboree at Beth El on the 30th?..... Take our advice and don't miss either affair..... if you're still in doubt how to get to the Barn give us a ring..... LI 6782.... don't get excited, it's only the office of the Post and not us at all.... who's excited?.... advance publicity on the Jamboree tells us you'd better get your tickets while there are still tables left.... two Broadway stars will be there.... Jenny Feldman and Eddie Wayne—dancers, both of them.... and it's a costume dance.. hurry!..... Wait a minute! Just heard about the Men's Club annual Thanksgiving affair scheduled for November 25..... it's going to be in the Egyptian Room of the Murat Temple..... they're importing entertainers..... Lah te da.... if you haven't been on a hayride, you're slipping and not on autumn leaves, either..... what a season!

### Notes

All y..... rds and male counterparts had better look in on Kirshbaum told the dramatic group there is the real McCoy..... when Jepson Monday night.... we saw you there.. Mr. and Mrs. Mueller and Mrs. J. A. Goodman and Fannie Rosenak and Mrs. Efroymsen and Mrs. David Lurvey..... Did you know Mrs. Mortimer Furscott was president of the Indiana Vassar Club..... New members of the Temple (10th and Delaware) are Leo Netzorg, I. L. Oppenheimer, Irving Braus, Fred Fishman, Saul Ades, Alfred Ginzbourger..... Edward Kahn was recently re-elected vice-president of the central Indiana council of Boy Scouts..... New members of Beth El Temple are Hyman Grande, David Klapper, Max Kaplan, David Falender, Samuel F. Fisher, Alex Rabin, Max Rutenberg, Ben Siegel..... If you were one of the people who enjoyed the excellent meetings of the Beth El Youth Group last year you'll be glad to know the group is going to begin its meetings again.

At Betsy Ross the other evening we ran into Hortense Wolf and her mother..... and at the Martha Washington Shop, Mrs. Maurice Block and two others whom we didn't know..... Hannah Leah Miller..... Edna Weisman and Miss Brownstein (sorry about not remembering first names)..... was anybody else there?..... Watch our business directory for theatre passes.

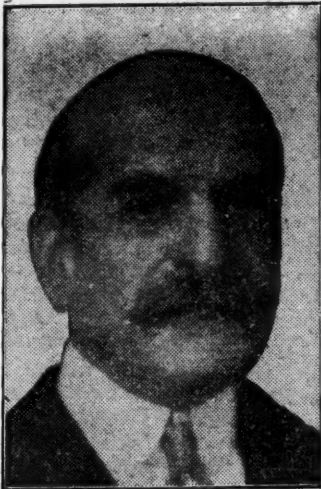
### JEWS AS MISSIONARIES

At one time the Jews were ardent missionaries. Toward the end of the second pre-Christian century the missionary spirit developed with enthusiasm often fanatical among the Jews. The Maccabean rulers of Judea compelled the non-Jewish elements of Palestine to adopt Judaism. The rabbinical teachers, on the other hand, attempted to win proselytes through religious conviction. Many converts were made and conspicuous among them were the women, of-

ten of royal station, including the Roman empress Poppea, wife of Nero, and Queen Helen of Adiabene. In Damascus it was said most of the women had become converts to Judaism.

With the rise of Christianity, missionary activities were forbidden and the whole movement collapsed and, with but few exceptions, was never regenerated. However, the more fundamental explanation of why Jews do not proselytize lies in the development of the prophetic ideal in Judaism.

## 'A Prince Has Fallen'



The Indianapolis Jewish community this week joined the world in mourning Felix M. Warburg, noted philanthropist and outstanding figure in Jewish life, who died Wednesday at his Fifth Avenue home in New York. He was 66.

'Go To Church', Students Told CHAMPAIGNE, Ill.—Sororities, fraternities and student residence organizations at the University of Illinois are being urged to promote 100 per cent attendance at religious services on Sundays, by members of the "Go To Church" movement, sponsored by the Women's League on the campus.

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## A History Of The Jews Of Indianapolis

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hip, and in 1923 they erected a beautiful synagogue, capable of seating six hundred people. It has a membership of over 150 members.

Rabbis who have either been associated with this Schule or assisted in the work, are Rabbi Abba Haim Levinson, who also worked in conjunction with the Shara Tefila, Rabbi I. E. Neustadt, who also worked in conjunction with the Shara Tefila, Rabbi Solomon Lenn, who also worked in conjunction with the same Schule, also Rabbi Rifkind, and Cohen.

The first president of the Schule was Gustave Joseph; others to follow were Sol Trotsky, David Goldan, Moshe Serinsky, Mendel Goldberg, Moses A. Rabb, Hyman Friedman, Simon Goldman, Henry Rutzky, Samuel Fogle, and Harry Weinstein, and Morris Cohen.

Cantors in charge of the Temple have been Rev. Eidelman, Rev. Masman, Rev. Maicer, Rev. Portov, Rev. Schneider, Rev. Eddelman and Rev. Sam Levin.

In 1899, the congregation organized the first Hebrew school (Talmud Torah) in this city at 520 South Illinois Street under the supervision of Moses A. Rabb, and in charge of Rabbi Fishel Aaron Rabbowitz, and Professor S. Glickman. In 1911, through the efforts of A. Rosenthal, it was moved to Russell Avenue. Mendel Goldberg and Moses A. Rabb, of this congregation with the help of S. T. Cohen, of the United Hebrew congregation, were instrumental in having the two Hebrew schools

## Kirshbaum Basketball Team Practice Begins

Basketball practice for the varsity and second teams of Kirshbaum Center will begin at 9 p.m., Monday, Oct. 25, Norman Weissman, instructor and coach, has announced. All members of the Center are urged to try for the teams. Kirshbaum will play a fine schedule this year with games in Louisville, Dayton and Cincinnati being arranged.

Practice will continue regularly on Mondays and Wednesdays from 9 to 10 p.m.

## CARD PARTY SET

Final arrangements for the card party scheduled by Beta Nu Sorority for Oct. 27 at the Electric Bldg., were made at a meeting Sunday at Kirshbaum Center. The public is invited.

## FLEIG IN DAYTON CONCERT

Harold Fleig, son of Mr. and Mrs. Abe Fleig, will appear in concert with the Dayton Symphony Orchestra next Monday evening in Dayton. Mr. Fleig, who is a student at the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music, plays the oboe.

merged into the United Hebrew School, and Rabbi Neustadt did a noble work in connection with this school.

Affiliated with the Knesses Israel congregation is the Junior Orphan Aid Society which consists of thirty-eight boys and girls interested in Palestinian relief work. The congregation also has a very active ladies auxiliary, the present president of which is Mrs. A. Schwartz. This congregation is strictly Orthodox and has never failed to hold its thrice daily services.

## Sidney Skolsky Led The Trek From Broadway To Hollywood

By HAROLD ROMER

Long before he became famous as a Broadway columnist and Hollywood reporter, Sidney Skolsky wanted to meet celebrities. Now,



as National Broadcasting Company's newest Hollywood commentator, he tells, among other things, news of the stars he's met.

Sidney got his start in New York. Born in "Hell's Kitchen" on May 2, 1905, he attended De Witt Clinton High School and New York University. He majored in journalism, but by a freak turn of events got into the real estate business.

Overcome with a burning desire to get acquainted with the people whose names appeared in the bright lights of the theatres on Broadway, and the folks whose names appeared atop the news columns of the

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## OUR FILM FOLK of HOLLYWOOD

By HELEN ZIGMOND

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HOLLYWOOD—Screen and radio are now so overlapping and interlocking that it's hard to draw the line..... difficult to make a distinction between a film star who becomes a network neek and an aerolite that hits the top in pictures. Among such twin stars are Eddie Cantor, George Burns, Al Jolson, Jack Benny, Walter Winchell, etc.

Another who will soon join the throng is Phil Baker. We saw at his opening broadcast this week when he introduced himself as "Goldwyn's Folly." In vaude days he tagged himself, "the bad boy from a good family."

If you've wondered... the dialectician on the Baker hour is Artie Auerbach. Has been "ac(t) centing" for him during the past four years.

A niece of John Hertz, the taxi magnate, signed the dots for Republic Studio. Rumor whispers she's an eyeful..... cinematized Adele Wilde. Is she Joosh? Well, maybe..... you know how it is in this business!

Neatest trick of the week: Sam Goldwyn has tied Jascha Heifetz to a contract. For, as Sam sees it, with or without the fiddle, Jascha is a "poissonality."

Sophie Tucker, who started the "Life Begins at Forty" Clubs, evidently thinks that's a good spot to take a look back. She is ransacking the attic for her old programs, mementos, photographs (particularly those of Sophie with royalty), and the whole story will be forthcoming in the form of Sophie Tucker's biography.

Hollywood..... unofficially, of course..... uttered a sigh of relief. Vittorio, Mussolini's boy, suddenly was recalled home... not so "vittorio." His plan called for a two-week survey but he slipped out before a week was up. In preparation for forming an Italian film company with Hal Roach, maker of two-reelers, he came "to study Hollywood film methods." Strange how he changed, for as recently as last May he printed, "The world would be blessed if Hollywood were closed down for a year." Presumably that would remove the overwhelming competition to films produced elsewhere.

To disprove any impression on the part of the public that the Fas-

cist emissary was wholeheartedly welcomed, the Motion Picture Artists Committee bought a full-page announcement. In it they quote excerpts from Vittorio's published writing: "War certainly educates. I recommend it to everybody.... War for us has been a sport, the most beautiful and complete of all sports." Beside this paragraph is the picture of a dead child against a background of airplanes.

The announcement continues.... "Hollywood is on record throughout the country as having welcomed Signor Vittorio Mussolini with open arms. We feel that Hollywood does not deserve this reputation. We can best show the world what Hollywood really feels about Vittorio Mussolini by helping to bind the wounds of innocent victims of Signor Mussolini's favorite sport." It ends with a plea to help send medical supplies to Spain.

(Note: The M.P.A.C. is a non-sectarian group composed of some of the most prominent stars in film-dom.)

Mrs. Cohen phoned her neighborhood theatre to find out what was playing. "And, by the way," she wanted to know, "how much is it before six o'clock?" "Double or Nothing," answered the cashier. "Humph, the very idea!" snapped the lady. "I thought Bank Night was bad enough."

More next week.

Doctor Kills Self  
By Jewish Telegraphic Agency  
BERLIN—A Jewish doctor, Dr. Schwabe, has committed suicide in Frankfurt-on-the-Main, throwing himself from a high window. It was reported here, after he had been threatened with prosecution for "race defilement" on charges of having relations with an "Aryan" woman.

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## Palestine Disorders Spread And General Uprising Is Feared

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ell, commander of British forces in Palestine, called district commissioners to Jaffa on Monday and discussed the advisability of declaring martial law to stamp out spreading Arab terrorism.

and Arab officials in Hebron evacuated from the town by the Government were lodged in the Jerusalem Y. M. C. A. The Government warned the inhabitants of Hebron, according to Arab newspapers, that a collective fine would be imposed if terrorism there did not halt.

Members of the Nashashibi family, moderate Arab leaders, discovered two unexploded bombs near their Jaffa home, which were removed by police.

A bridge on the Jerusalem-Jericho road was dynamited and damaged. Running fire was exchanged for a half-hour between Arabs and British forces on the Jerusalem-Bethlehem road. First reports gave no details of the engagement.

### Supply Base Found

A British detachment discovered in a deserted Arab inn in the hills near Nablus supplies for Arab bands and a portable radio apparatus. Two mounted Arabs appeared for food, but seeing the British armored cars attempted to flee. They were captured.

A girls' farm near Afulah was heavily fired upon, but Jewish ghaffirs (watchmen) beat off the attack with no casualties. A strong attack on Ramat Rachel lasting an hour was also repulsed by Jewish ghaffirs.

With the attacks indicating that terrorism was spreading, the central committee of the Histadruth, Palestine Jewish labor federation, warned Jews not to go to predominantly-Arab Jaffa for any reason until further notice.

An Armenian itinerant photographer, evidently mistaken for a Jew, was shot at in front of the Government offices in Jerusalem. A group of Arab workers was fired upon and one of them was slightly injured. An unexploded bomb was discovered near the Sanhedria quarter.

### Retaliatory Measures Taken

The Government retaliated with measures to suppress the Arab disorders. Major-General Wavell ordered destruction of several Arab houses in Lydda, scene of the airport fire, and imposed a 23-hour curfew on the village. The authorities decided also to collect a \$25,000 collective fine assessed against the village during the 1936 disorders, but which had been dropped after collection of only \$1,250.

Curfew was continued in Jerusalem, posted placards announcing also prohibition of street gatherings and carrying of knives, sticks, stones or other suspicious objects.

Sheikh Amin Effendi of the Supreme Sharia Court and many other Arab notables, sheikhs and Moslem leaders in Hebron were removed to Acre.

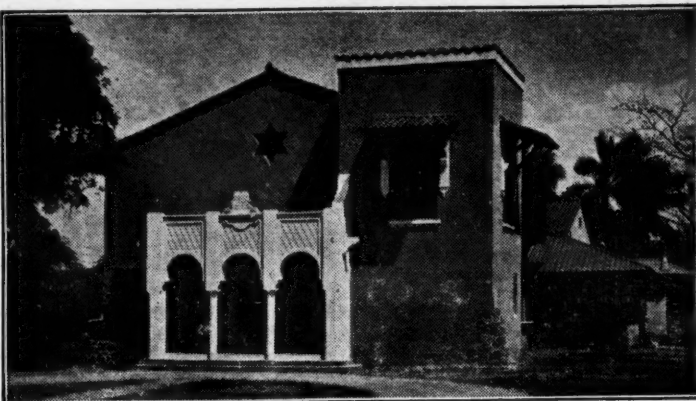
### Mufti Reported In Syria

The Mufti was reported to have slipped out of his refuge in the Mosque of Omar under cover of darkness and escaped to Syria, where, the report said, he presented himself under the name Ahmed Jaffarai to the Beirut police and then left for Damascus.

The first intimation that he had fled came when it was noted the Mufti failed to deliver his usual Sabbath sermon in the Mosque. One report had it that the outbreak of disorders was arranged to draw attention from his departure.

The administration of the Waqf (Moslem religious estates), which had been under the Mufti's control, was placed by the Palestine Government under the control of a three-man commission including a judicial officer, it was officially announced.

## Palms Form Background For Synagogue



A Southern outpost of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations is this Palm-shaded synagogue of Congregation Kol Shearith Israel in Panama City, Republic of Panama. The congregants are members of old Sephardic families. The Sisterhood of Kol Shearith Israel is affiliated with the National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods and boasts more than one hundred members.

## Sidney Skolsky Led The Trek From Broadway To Hollywood

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daily press, the Jewish youth decided the apartment rental business would afford the best opportunity for meeting them. So he got a job as a renting agent.

He rented apartments to people whose names meant something in the theatrical or literary world. His first customer was Gilbert Gabriel, dramatic critic. Next came Ralph Barton, artist, and his wife, Carlotta Monterey, now Mrs. Eugene O'Neil. Others were Sigmund Spaeth and Edward Hope. Skolsky visited with them. He sat at their feet and learned the romantic tales of Broadway that few persons get to hear.

"As a kid I used to spend hours walking up and down Broadway. I loved it so much," says Skolsky. His visits with the great and near great from the Great White Way fired his imagination. Finally he got a two weeks vacation, and used it looking for a job on Broadway. He was hired as assistant to Alex Yokel, then a press agent for the Sam H. Harris shows, and more recently producer of "Three Men on a Horse." In his post with Yokel, Skolsky worked on publicity for four Broadway productions at once. They were "Cradle Snatchers," with Mary Boland, Humphrey Bogart, and Gene Raymond, then known as Gene Guion; "Easy Come, Easy Go," with Otto Kruger and Victor Moore; "The Cocoanuts," with the Four Marx Brothers; and "The Jazz Singer," with George Jessel.

Soon Skolsky took another step. He became a press agent on his own. For a year and a half he worked for Earl Carroll as publicity man, then added George White to

his client list.

Through Gilbert Gabriel, his first rental customer, Skolsky sold an idea called "Tintypes" to the New York Sun. They were vignette biographies, alive with color, anecdotes, heart throbs, personality and facts. They made Broadway talk.

The first contract was to do four of these "tintypes" at \$4.00 each. He never quit writing them and they have run well up into the hundreds. He has done them every week since. For two years he wrote them for the Sun and then he was signed by the New York Daily News to take Mark Hellinger's place when he left the paper in December of 1929. Skolsky covered Broadway for four years and he has covered Hollywood for four years. The authenticity of his "Tintypes" has won him wide acclaim. He has published one book called "Times Square Tintypes." Now he is editing a book to be published this fall called "The Best Motion Pictures of 1937."

Recently Skolsky was asked to come back to New York. He replied, "Broadway is passe—Broadway has gone to Hollywood. If they can bring back the Broadway I left, I'll go back."

To prove his heart was on Broadway, Skolsky wrote a song entitled "It's a Fake, A Phoney, But It's My Broadway, The Heart of the World." One of these days he thinks he may do something like this for Hollywood. Skolsky was the first New York columnist to come to Hollywood, and recently most of the other big names of that profession have followed him. Skolsky says the folks who made Broadway in the old days are in Hollywood, and most of his friends are here.

## Jewish Frat Leads School 6th Time

**SPECIAL** ATHENS, Ga.—Scholarship records for the past academic year at the University of Georgia, just published, show that for the sixth successive year the Mu Chapter of Phi Epsilon Pi lead all campus fraternities in scholarship, establishing a University record for consecutive first-places.

The Jewish fraters had marks 28 per cent higher than the all-men average.

### Kappa Nu Wins Cup

**SPECIAL** ROCHESTER, N. Y.—For the sixth time in seven years the scholarship Cup at the University of Rochester has been won by Kappa Nu, Jewish fraternity.

### Tep Leads 26

**SPECIAL** SYRACUSE, N. Y.—Tau Epsilon

## Farm School Holds "Harvest Festival"

**SPECIAL** DOYLESTOWN, Pa.—Visitors to the fortieth Annual Harvest Festival of The National Farm School Sunday saw an exhibit of the school's harvest and a cattle show, and heard the annual report of school president Herbert D. Allman.

### WOMAN MEDIC SUICIDES

**By Jewish Telegraphic Agency** VIENNA—Dr. Margaret Hirshaut, a Jewish physician, committed suicide last week by taking poison in a hospital, leaving a note in which she declared she was ending her life because she feared she would be unable to obtain a position.

Phi lead twenty-six fraternities at Syracuse University in scholarship for the 1936-37 school year.

## Grove To Honor Rebekah Kohut

**Special**

NEW YORK—Rebekah Kohut, authoress and outstanding communal figure, is to be honored by a Palestine grove of thousands of trees that will bear her name in recognition of her public career, it has been announced by Dr. Israel Goldstein, President of the Jewish National Fund.

Notable figures in the social, political, economic and academic life of America are included in the membership of a national committee, just formed under the Chairmanship of Irma L. Lindheim, to pay tribute to the famed Palestine worker on the completion of the fifty-year period in her life since she came to New York to begin her public career. The trees, as a part of the Jewish reforestation work in the Holy Land, will be planted on Jewish National Fund land in Palestine.

Professor Albert Einstein, Governor Herbert H. Lehman, Mayor Fiorello H. LaGuardia, Dr. Stephen S. Wise, and Hannah G. Solomon are the Honorary Chairmen of the Committee, while Mrs. Henry Morgenthau, Jr., Fannie Hurst, Lillian D. Wald, Florence Kahn, former Congresswomen from San Francisco, Calif., Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt and Mrs. Daniel Guggenheim are the Honorary Vice-Chairmen of the Committee.

Informed of the Committee's intention to mark her semi-centennial of public service by the planting of trees in her name, Mrs. Kohut, in a communication to Irma Lindheim, said:

"I am sure that you will understand how honored I feel to have a Grove planted in Palestine and connected with my name. I need not tell you that Palestine has been a part of my very being all of my life, and since the time that I was converted to Zionism by our immortal Herzl, my heart has been in Jerusalem.

"It is strange, too, that I have loved trees passionately ever since I was a child. The magnolia trees of Richmond, and the acacias of California have remained with me in spirit throughout my existence.

## German Girls Helped Win Liberty For U.S., Berlin Radio To Say

**Special**

BERLIN—The part that German heroines played in the American War for Independence will be told in a special broadcast from the German short-wave station DJD at 8:30 p.m., EST, Thursday, Oct. 28.

Next in a long series of DJD programs directed to specific American locales is titled "Aloha Hawaii" and will "salute" the Territory of Hawaii at 9:45 EST, Sunday, Oct. 24.

## Cleveland Observes 100th Anniversary

**Special**

CLEVELAND—The 100th anniversary of the founding of the Cleveland Jewish community will be observed with a city-wide program beginning Sunday and including art and historical exhibits, music, a civic mass meeting and an essay contest.

Descendants of the city's first Jewish settlers will plant a tree Sunday afternoon commemorating the century of Jewish life here. Sunday evening the windwood group of the Cleveland Symphony Orchestra will give a program of Jewish music and the works of Jewish composers.

The historical display will include documents, photographs and historical material tracing the history of the Jewish community, which now numbers 85,000.

The one-week program will end in a mass meeting, at which a children's chorus of several hundred voices will sing.

I knew Joyce Kilmer, and I never forget the emotion that overcame me when he read his poem to his mother and myself.

"So you see, dear friend, while I know that I am not at all worthy of this honor, I cannot help but accept it. May these trees grow and be forever the expression of our beloved land."

## A Word To The Wise

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